

SWOYERSVILLE BOROUGH

2017 GARBAGE AND RECYCLING CALENDAR

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FEBRUARY

- 20 ALL GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS ON SCHEDULE THIS WEEK
- PRESIDENT'S DAY - STREET DEPT. OPEN

APRIL

- 3 YARD WASTE COLLECTIONS START
- 17 ALL GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS DELAYED 1 DAY THIS WEEK DUE TO THE EASTER HOLIDAY

MAY

- 29 ALL GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS DELAYED 1 DAY THIS WEEK DUE TO MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY

JULY

- 4 INDEPENDENCE DAY - ALL OFFICES CLOSED
- 5 TUESDAY'S GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS
- 6 WEDNESDAY'S GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS

SEPTEMBER

- 4 ALL GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS DELAYED 1 DAY THIS WEEK DUE TO LABOR DAY HOLIDAY
- LABOR DAY - ALL OFFICES CLOSED
- 30 SANITARY/STORM ASSESSMENT FEE PAYMENT DEADLINE

OCTOBER

- 30 BAGGED LEAF COLLECTIONS BEGIN

DECEMBER

- 4 MONDAY'S YARD WASTE/BAGGED LEAF COLLECTIONS END
- 5 TUESDAY'S YARD WASTE/BAGGED LEAF COLLECTIONS END
- 6 WEDNESDAY'S YARD WASTE/BAGGED LEAF COLLECTIONS END
- 25 ALL GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS DELAYED 1 DAY THIS WEEK DUE TO THE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

PLEASE DO NOT THROW AWAY

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2017 SWOYERSVILLE BOROUGH RECYCLING/GARBAGE COLLECTION GUIDELINES

Regular Garbage/Recycling Collection Days: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

RECYCLING COLLECTION

- Newspapers are NOT picked up on days or rain or snow
- Newspapers are to be placed in recycling container, paper bag or tied with string, not in plastic bags
- All cans and bottles are to be cleaned
- No window panes
- All plastic bottles and jugs should be crushed or flattened. Recyclables are to be placed in the Borough recycling can or in an open container. DO NOT PUT RECYCLABLES IN BAGS. 1-7 plastics are collected. These numbers are at the bottom of the plastic item.
- Metal objects accepted shall consist of lawn mowers, gas grills and metal pipes (No longer than 3 feet in length). No auto parts, no microwaves, no glass in aluminum windows and no doors.
- Place recyclables on tree lawn by 7 AM or the night before. The exceptions being newspapers and cardboard; if it is forecast to rain do not put newspapers or cardboard out. Save it until next week.
- If you miss putting recycling out hold them until next week. We will not make a special trip to pick up your items.
- Corrugated cardboard, cereal boxes, regular cardboard boxes, paperboard boxes, magazines are collected and are to be flattened and tied. Cardboard will not be collected if boxes are put out without being flattened and tied or boxes are placed in another box.

GARBAGE COLLECTION

- Weight limit for garbage bags is 50 pounds and 33 gallon capacity
 - **ALL GARBAGE BAGS MUST BE SEALED OR IT WILL NOT BE COLLECTED.**
DO NOT USE LAWN OR LEAF BAGS FOR GARBAGE
 - The following items will be collected only with the appropriate number of stickers attached:
Kitchen appliances including hot water heaters- 3 stickers
Chairs- 3 stickers
Couches- 3 stickers
Small area rugs- 2 stickers
Larger rugs must be cut into 4 foot wide sections with 2 stickers for each section
Air conditioners- 2 stickers
Mattresses- 3 stickers
- WE DO NOT PICK UP TV'S ANYMORE. THE STATE DOES NOT ALLOW US TO.**

2017 SWOYERSVILLE BOROUGH YARD WASTE COLLECTION GUIDELINES

Regular Garbage/Recycling Collection Days:
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

YARD WASTE

YARD WASTE WILL BE COLLECTED FROM THE WEEK OF APRIL 3 TO
WEEK OF DECEMBER 4 – SEE CALENDAR FOR YOUR ENDING DATE

A current year recycling sticker is needed to have yard waste picked up.

Yard waste is picked up on regular garbage collection day.

All yard waste MUST be in an OPEN CONTAINER not in bags, only exception is during the leaf collection period, leaves must be placed in a biodegradable bags

THERE IS A 6 CAN/BUNDLE LIMIT OF YARD WASTE
THIS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED

Bundles or containers cannot exceed 35 pounds. Please separate yard waste into other containers if necessary. Heavy containers can cause injury to the workers.

THE FOLLOWING IS CONSIDERED YARD WASTE AND WILL BE COLLECTED
UNTIL WEEK OF DECEMBER 4 - SEE CALENDAR FOR YOUR ENDING DATE

- Grass clippings – Will NOT be collected if put into biodegradable bags or plastic bags
- Shrubs and tree branches- Tree branches must be in 36 inch lengths and tied or bundled – 6 bundle limit
- Vegetable and flower garden waste
- Apples, pears, etc.

The following is NOT considered yard waste and will NOT be collected:

- Sod
- Rocks and dirt
- Logs/stumps
- Animal waste and cat litter
- Construction materials, wood, dry wall, plaster and lathe, concrete or cinder blocks, shingles and tar paper, asphalt, wooden doors
- NO WHOLE TREES

Bagged leaf collections will run from the week of October 30 to the week of December 4*

***USE BIODEGRADABLE BAGS FOR BAGGED LEAF COLLECTION ONLY
WITH UNLIMITED BAGS COLLECTED.**

**THE BOROUGH WILL NOT TAKE LEAVES IN PLASTIC BAGS; YOU CAN PLACE
LEAVES IN AN OPEN CONTAINER WITH A 6 CAN LIMIT EACH WEEK**